

AMENDMENTS TO THE ABSTRACT

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Abstract

A device for palletizing objects ~~is described,~~ containing a buffer device and a conveyor zone on which are provided a transposing device for assembling a layer and a pallet loader. To equip the device with effective buffering in a simple design, ~~it has been proposed that the conveyor zone and the buffer could optionally be loaded by the transposing device and optionally unloaded by the pallet loader.~~